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In re Application of
George B. Diamond et al.
Serial Number: 09/769,628
Filed: January 25, 2001
For: APPARATUS HAVING A SPLASH FOR
PREVENTING SPLASHING

PETITION UNDER
M.P.E.P. 708.02 IV

This is in response to the petition filed August 8, 2003, requesting that the above-identified application be granted Special Status under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.102(c) (no fee required).

The request for Special Status considered under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP is granted because criteria under 37 CFR 1.102(c) has been met.

Accordingly the petition is **GRANTED**.

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